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2. A Specification having a total of thirty-five pages, including a one (1) page Abstract and twenty-seven (27) claims.
3. Four (4) sheets of drawings.
4. A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.
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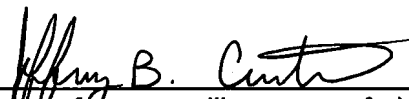
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